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C O N F I D E N T I A L NAIROBI 4705

AF/E FOR AMBASSADOR MARSHALL

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: MASS, KE, US

SUBJECT: KENYA PROGRAM: FMS CREDITS AND MAP TRAINING

REF: A. STATE 130315 (NOTAL) B. NAIROBI 3327 (NOTAL)

1. KENYAN MINISTRIES OF FINANCE AND DEFENCE ARE VERY PLEASED WITH FINANCIAL PACKAGE SET FORTH REF A AND ACCEPT FY 75 \$5 MILLION FMS GUARANTEED CREDIT ON COST OF MONEY TO USG BASIS. RE OTHER TERMS OF CREDIT, FOR REASONS REPORTED REF B, FINANCE MINISTRY URGES THAT USG PROVIDE CREDIT WITH THREE-YEAR GRACE PERIOD AND MAXIMUM (TEN YEAR) MATURITY. I BELIEVE KENYA DEBT REPAYMENT SCHEDULE AND BALANCE OF PAYMENTS OUTLOOK FULLY JUSTIFIES THIS REQUEST AND WOULD STRONGLY RECOMMEND INTERAGENCY APPROVAL OF THESE TERMS.

2. BEFORE DECIDING WHOM TO AUTHORIZE TO SIGN LOAN AGREEMENT AND PROMISSORY NOTE ON BEHALF OF KENYA, FINANCE MINISTRY ASKS WHETHER CONTENT OF AGREEMENTS TO BE SIGNED IS PURELY FINANCIAL OR WHETHER IT ALSO COMMITS GOK TO PURCHASE OF SPECIFIC MILITARY ITEMS WITH CREDIT. IF FORMER IS CASE, GOK WOULD AUTHORIZE KENYAN CHARGE D' AFFAIRES IN WASHINGTON TO SIGN. IF MILITARY HARDWARE CONSIDERATIONS ALSO INVOLVED, GOK WOULD FIND IT NECESS-  
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ARY TO SEND QUALIFIED OFFICIAL FROM NAIROBI TO NEGOTIATE AND SIGN AGREEMENTS. PLEASE ADVISE BY IMMEDIATE TELEGRAM SO THAT THIS DETAIL MAY BE RESOLVED TOMORROW.

3. FINANCE MINISTRY ALSO WOULD LIKE TO KNOW WHETHER MAP FUNDS  
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